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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This is in response to the final Office Action dated December 28, 2005 (Part of Paper No./Mail Date 12232005), for which a response is due on March 28, 2006. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.